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ELECTION FRAUDS.

CONGRESSMAN BELKNAP'S SEAT IS

IN DANGER.

The Record Shows a Steady Gain for His Republican Opponent—Three Judges of the Twentieth Chicago Precinct to be Arrested.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) CHICAGO, July 11.—That Hugh R. Belknap has possibly been deprived of his seat in Congress from the Second Illinois District through the instrumentality of irresponsible and criminally negligent election officials was strongly suggested at the recount of the ballots in the McGann-Belknap election contest this afternoon.

As a result of the recount, Election Commissioner Keenan procured warrants for the arrest of three judges of the Twentieth election precinct. The men are A. E. Gage, Republican judge, and Andrew Buchanan and J. Ready, Democrat judges. They were in the Twentieth precinct of the First ward and it is charged that they simply guessed at the result and made no count at all.

The count today in that precinct showed a loss of eighty-six for McGann and a slight gain for Belknap. As far as the count has now progressed, the Republican candidate has a lead of 106.

THE WESTERN SOCIETY.

A Committee Appointed to Furnish Information to Inquirers.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) CHICAGO, July 11.—At last night's session of the Western Society, Dr. John Rusk said that he was constantly besieged by members of his church and other churches who desired information regarding wise locations for farms. This he was unable to furnish, and he considered the establishment of a bureau by the secretary would do good. It was decided to place the matter in the hands of a committee. The following resolution was adopted accordingly:

"Resolved, that a Committee on Exhibition and Literature, consisting of seven members, representing the various sections of the West, be appointed by the chair, and that the duty of said committee shall be to obtain as far as possible an exhibit and support from each of the Western States, and gather statistics and material necessary for the preparation of descriptive literature."

The following were appointed: Col. Whyte, M. Merry, director of the Agricultural College at Roseman, Mont.; G. C. Cannon, president of the Mormon church, Salt Lake; George R. Buckman, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Colorado Springs; C. D. Wilbur, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles; and G. E. Gilling, secretary of the National College Club. This committee will begin the preparation of plans at once for the establishment of a permanent Western exhibit in Chicago.

THE CHENG-TU RIOTS.

A REPORT FROM UNITED STATES

MINISTER DENBY.

The Catholic Bishop the Only One Injured—Canton's Viceroy Must Pay for Losses Sustained by the American Missionaries.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) WASHINGTON, July 11.—The State Department has the following dispatch, dated June 4, from Minister Denby, on the recent riots at Cheng-Tu. The Catholic mission building and those of the China Inland and Canadian missions were destroyed. The Catholic bishop was the only person injured, and he was not seriously hurt. Virge C. Hart is the only American known to be at Cheng-Tu. Strong measures have been taken to prevent the spread of the riotous spirit, among the Yang-Tse towns. Cheng-Tu numbers about one million people, and has great wealth. In another dispatch Minister Denby says that he has secured from the Tsung-ti-yamen an order on the Canton viceroy for \$500 to pay to the American Presbyterian mission at Tung-Kong-Yikong, in the province of Kwang-Tung, for losses sustained by a recent riot.

PRONOUNCED A TRAITOR. WASHINGTON, July 11.—The State Department has received from Minister Sill at Chemulpo, Korea, under date of May 15, additional details of the fall of King Hio, the Emperor's nephew. He was found guilty of conspiracy and pronounced a traitor. The minimum penalty is imprisonment for life, but the Emperor reduced the term to imprisonment for ten years. The prisoner was taken to a small island on the coast of Chemulpo. Five common men implicated in the same conspiracy were hanged the same night.

GERMANS SNAPPED AT IT. BERLIN, July 11.—The subscriptions to the Chinese loan opened this morning, and closed almost immediately, as much more was promptly subscribed than was needed. The average allotment is expected to be 1/2 to 1 per cent. of the amount applied for. The loan will be quoted on the bourse tomorrow.

TO REORGANIZE CHINA'S NAVY. SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Capt. Webster, who was in command of a Chinese blockade-runner during the war with Japan, left for England by way of New York today, with a party of English capitalists, on what is said to be an important mission. On account of the high esteem in which he is held by the Chinese government, it is said that he has been entrusted with the task of reorganizing the Chinese navy. To this end he has been authorized to purchase ships and contract for the construction of new ones.

Belle Archer's Winning. DENVER, July 11.—A verdict was given in the District Court today, awarding Belle Archer, the San Francisco actress, \$1548, in her suit against Alexander Salvini, Jr., for salary for herself and husband while members of Salvini's company, in 1894.

THE MORNING'S NEWS

The Times

Associated Press Reports Briefed.

THE CITY—Pages 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11.

Neighbors plot to put a woman in an asylum... Prof. Search proposes a compromise... Estimates of cash needed by branches of the city government... A chicken-thief admitted his guilt... A man fined for disciplining his dog... Something about a man named Stenhouse... A circus closed up... Prominent citizens arrested because they would not "move on."

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Page 11.

House burned down in Pasadena... Rumor of a new convent in Santa Ana... A cow-stealer from Ballona... San Bernardino creamery an assured fact... Santa Barbara's Chinatown had a fire... More big fish caught at Avalon... A crazy window-smasher in Pomona... The jury in the "Whistling" Davis case could not agree... Counterfeits arraigned.

PACIFIC COAST—Page 1, 3.

Several hundred thousand acres of land in Los Angeles county likely to be thrown open to settlement... A printer charged with stealing a "dawg"... Six robbers strung up by Mexicans... Gov. Budd displaces George A. Knight... Gen. Ezeta thought to be playing to the gallery... The Federal grand jury at San Francisco to investigate importations of contract Japanese labor... A contractor escapes, leaving a number of people in trouble... A Portuguese mangled by horses... Northwestern insurance men form a compact.

GENERAL EASTERN—Pages 1, 2, 3, 6.

Mark Twain in court on insolvency proceedings... Great meetings of the Christian Endeavorers at Boston... Prof. Le Conte and other prominent educators address the Denver convention... The bicycle tournament at Asbury Park... Correspondent Woodward returns from Cuba with an interesting story... Collins survivors protest against the investigation findings... A scramble for appointment to the vacancy on the Senate Committee on Commerce... The Bolivian ultimatum to Peru... The town of Williams burned again.

BY CABLE—Pages 3, 4.

Regatta events at Henley—Play to the gallery and more "hits" at Cornell... The Pope approves the ideas of Cardinal Gibbons as to church affairs in America... Ambassador Eustis explains that interview... The Niagara wins the twenty-race race... Cuban insurgents burn a town-hall and kill the Mayor... Subscriptions to the Chinese loan taken in Berlin... The Albas beats the Britannia... Fifteen persons killed and eighty injured in a collision between immigrant trains in Argentine.

AT LARGE—Pages 1, 2, 3, 6.

Dispatches were also received from Davenport, Iowa; St. Louis, Cleveland, O.; Lexington, Ky.; Pittsburgh, New York; Columbus, O.; Chicago, Sacramento, San Francisco, Washington, Petaluma, Cincinnati and other places.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL—Page 5.

Los Angeles bank clearances... Present financial situation... The late Los Angeles bond issue... Strange difference in prices of apricots in Northern California and Southern California... Meeting of fruit-growers at Sacramento... Auction sales in the East... Wool markets... Silver, bonds and consols... Frisco mining stocks... Grain and produce.

WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—For Southern California: Fair weather; nearly stationary temperature; westerly winds.

FIGHTING CRIPPLES.

War on Peru Would Have a Serious

Comic Aspect.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—South American diplomats are much interested in the press reports that Bolivia has presented the ultimatum to Peru, which the latter has rejected. Peru, Bolivia and Ecuador have formed an alliance with the prospect of making war on Peru. Peru's former strength has disappeared since her war with Chile. The Chileans took all the Peruvian warships, and it is believed that the one old transport is all that remains of the Peruvian navy. The army is said to number 4000 men.

Bolivia has no navy, and her army is said to be about the same as that of Peru. She is entirely inland since the war with Chile, when Chile took possession of those provinces which had formed Bolivia's coastline. Ecuador is said to be in good fighting trim, as she has just emerged from a revolution, and all her people are in arms; but her navy is insignificant, her only good warship having been sold to Japan some months ago.

It looks, therefore, to those conversant with the situation, that these crippled countries would not engage in a very formidable war. They cannot fight by sea, and there are great stretches of desolate and mountainous country between them. Chile is in no way interested in the trouble. The last war appears to have established her firmly as mistress of the west coast of South America.

Did Little but Bleet.

CLEVELAND (O.) July 11.—In connection with the session of the American Philological Association today, the Spelling Reform Association, the members of which belong to the first-named association, held its annual meeting. But little was done aside from re-electing the officers.

PETERED OUT.

Mark Twain Financially

Ruined.

The Humorist is in Court for

Examination.

He Sees Nothing Funny in the

Situation and Sticks to

Figures.

Explanation as to the Transfer of His Copyrights to His Wife—His Connection with Webster & Co., the Failed Firm.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.

NEW YORK, July 11.—(Special Dispatch.) Mark Twain, otherwise Samuel L. Clemens, the humorist, was examined in supplementary proceedings today. The action was taken on account of the failure of the publishing house of Charles L. Webster & Co., in which Clemens was a partner. The examination was over the claim of Russell & Lord, printers, for \$5000.

Clemens returned from Europe six weeks ago, and has since been under the doctor's care. Balmbridge Co., assignee of the greenbacks and getting the publishers of the late publishing firm are satisfied. At the failure, the liabilities amounted to \$30,000. The assignee has been at work ever since the failure disposing of assets, and in last April he paid 20 per cent. to creditors.

Lawyer Wilder has begun the examination of Clemens by asking him many questions about his relations with the publishing firm since it was formed in 1885. In his answers Clemens confined himself to facts and figures. He seemed to regard the proceedings as too serious for any flashes of humor. Before the publishing firm failed, Clemens transferred to his wife thirty-three copyrights, covering all his works. Lawyer Wilder says that he does not allege that this was done to defraud creditors, but he wanted to know why it was done. Clemens said that he did it to protect his claim that the copyright transfer was made. In return, he waived her rights to any share of the firm's other assets.

The humorist gave a history of his connection with the firm, and said that his wife inherited money from her father. The hope of Lawyer Wilder is that the court may set aside the transfer and give Russell & Son a lien upon the copyrights. A medical certificate was produced by Clemens, and the humorist has a carbuncle on his leg.

MARE ISLAND LUCK.

Employees Will Not Suffer as in the

Other Navy Yards.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) WASHINGTON, July 11.—With the exception of the Mare Island, Cal., navy yard, the forces of employees in the various navy yards will suffer severely from the reduction of the first of August. This will result from the completion of the most important work on hand and the failure of Congress to make provision for further construction.

Mare Island will be more lucky, for a good deal of work will be done there in the approach of the patrol vessel to Peru, which the latter has rejected. Peru, Bolivia and Ecuador have formed an alliance with the prospect of making war on Peru. Peru's former strength has disappeared since her war with Chile. The Chileans took all the Peruvian warships, and it is believed that the one old transport is all that remains of the Peruvian navy. The army is said to number 4000 men.

With Axes and Clubs.

DENVER, July 11.—Shortly before noon today policemen were sent in a hurry to the Chinese quarter in response to a riot call. About twenty Chinamen were doing battle with axes, knives, clubs and stones, but at the approach of the patrol wagon they sought hiding-places. Sam Lung, proprietor of an opium joint, was found with severe wounds on the head which may have been inflicted by a club. He was struck with an axe by a man named Goo, a business rival, whose place had been raided, as he believed, at the instigation of the police. The rioters were the followers of these two leaders. My Goo has not yet been caught.

They "Fixed" the Mayor.

WEST SUPERIOR (Wis.) July 11.—Strong testimony upholding the charges of malfeasance against Mayor Starkweather was brought out last night. That his denials will eventually go to the jury is clear. Several policemen testified to paying money to the Mayor, who was seen under the pretension that it was to settle campaign expenses.

Gibbons's Designs.

ROME, July 11.—The Observatore Romano published today the text of a papal brief addressed to Cardinal Gibbons, approving the projects which he submitted to the Pope during his stay at Rome, especially the convocation of a Bucharist Congress in America, similar to those held in Europe, and an ample educational programme of philosophy, letters and science for the Catholic University at Washington.

The Mockery of Fate.

LEXINGTON (Ky.) July 11.—Dr. Edward Jones, aged 55, for many years superintendent of the Eastern Kentucky Asylum here, committed suicide today by jumping from a window of the institution, which he was once superintendent. He had been an inmate for the past year. He was a surgeon in the Confederate army, and was a brother of J. Lawson Jones.

TO BUY THE WORKS.

How Denver's City Council Will Dodge a Wet Issue.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

DENVER (Colo.) July 11.—Attorneys for the water consumers began proceedings in the District Court today to compel the City Council to carry out the contract with the Denver Union Water Company, requiring a reduction of rates to the average of Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati. Besides an alternate writ of mandamus to compel the passage of an ordinance provided for in the contract, the complaint asks that injunctions be issued restraining the company from shutting off water from private consumers, and also compelling the corporation, its agents and employees, to desist from influencing the members of the Council to act contrary to their duty under the contract.

The complaint charges that the members of the city administration, especially the Councilmen, secured their election by making a pledge, which they have not redeemed, to adjust the rates according to contract, and the water company is accused of having by bribery, cajolery and threats, prevented the passage of an ordinance which would fulfill the provisions of the contract.

A Resolution Declaring for "Honest

Money" and Opposing the Free

Coinage of Silver is Adopted—

An Address by Ex-Congressman

Harter.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SARATOGA (N. Y.) July 11.—This was the second day of the New York State Bankers' Association meeting. A. P. Hepburn of New York, chairman of the Committee on "Sound Money" Resolutions, offered a resolution declaring for "honest money," opposing inflation and free coinage of silver at the rate of 16 to 1.

Ex-Congressman Harter, of the Coinage,

Weights and Measures Committee

of the Fifty-third Congress, delivered

an address on "Money" this morning

before the association. He said:

"If the free-coinage men were compelled to organize a party of their own, do not some of them who are naturally small; only tolerable, perhaps, by comparison with Coxe's army. Let us make it safe and sure by redeeming the greenbacks and silver certificates for their prompt redemption in gold, and let the nations know that the United States is for all time a 'sound-money,' honest-dollar nation."

The Money Question in the West

was the subject of an address by H.

A. Yates, president of the Nebraska

National Bank of Omaha. He said

that silver had been demonetized. It

is still money, he claimed, but its existence

as money is threatened.

The metal silver, he said, has lost its

character of money in the gold-standard

countries, and the same destruction

is threatened in the countries still

holding to it. The use of silver for

fractional currency and, perhaps,

for money in sums of \$10 and under,

while it would benefit silver to some

extent, would not be sufficient to steady

its value. Silver must be made just

as completely money as gold is money.

It is doomed, he said, to go down the

way of copper and brass. Is the

money prepared for this contingency,

whether it comes quickly, or is strung

out through a century? It would mean

the destruction of capital to the extent

that silver now represents capital.

The following officers were elected:

President, James Cannon; vice-pres-

ident, G. B. Sloan; treasurer, A. B. Bis-

sell; secretary, Leonard Cogswell. The

association will meet at Niagara Falls

next year.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) July 11.—The

committee that was appointed by the

Democrats at the free-silver convention

will meet here to plan a campaign for

independent coinage. Senator Turpie

has agreed to meet the committee, and

members will be guided largely by his

advice. The Senator will recommend

that a State meeting for the organization

of a Democratic independent

coinage league be called.

Members of the committee say that

if a State league is formed an effort

will be made to extend the organization

into every county in the State. It is be-

lieved that, by following this plan, the

free-coinage wing of the party will be

able to control the district conventions

which will meet next spring to elect

delegates to the national nominating

convention.

The committee will decide whether or

not a speaker shall be put in the field

to answer ex-Congressman Bynum's

gold-standard speeches. It has been

suggested that Leonard Cogswell, Con-

gressman from New York, undertake

this task, but he does not wish to

do so.

A CRITICAL TIME.

Celebration of the Blowing up of the

Frisco Mill.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SALT LAKE (Utah) July 11.—A spe-

cial train from Boise, Idaho, says

that today was set for celebration

in Coeur d'Alene of the anniversary of

the blowing-up of the Frisco mill, and

the killing of non-union miners.

The Governor received a message

from President Harris of the Banker

Hill Company, who is in San Francisco,

urging him to inform President Cleve-

land that United States troops may be

needed in Coeur d'Alene. The Governor

says that every resource of the State

will be exhausted in preserving order

before the President is called upon.

Williams Burned Again.

DENVER (Colo.) July 11.—A special

train to the Republic from Albuquerque,

N. M., says that for the second time in-

side of a year a serious conflagration has

visited the town of Williams, on the At-

lantic and Pacific Railroad. At 8

o'clock fire broke out in a small tailor

shop on First street, and, before the

flames could be subdued, more than a

dozen buildings had been destroyed,

mostly business houses. Five saloons

were burned, also the big general mer-

chandise store of Max Altman. The

Town Jail was destroyed and the bar-ber

shop of W. F. Lamar. The losses foot

up over \$70,000, partly insured. The

explosion of a gasoline stove caused the

fire.

FOOLED AGAIN.

LOS ANGELES LANDS

THOUSANDS OF ACRES TO BE THROWN OPEN.

Antelope Valley and Other Tracts Claimed by the Railroad Co. to the People.

An Appeal by the Southern Pacific is Likely to First Intervene.

Estate Charged with Seeking Notoriety—An Age Capitalist is Murdered—Armed Force Guarding a Mine—Robbers Hung.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Several hundred thousand acres of land situated in the northern part of Los Angeles county and heretofore claimed by the railroad, is likely at any day to be thrown open by the government for settlement. When that will depend upon the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior. He may do so at once, basing his action on the decision of Judge Ross in favor of the United States, or he may wait a final determination of the character of the lands by the Supreme Court, on an appeal, which will probably be entered by the Southern Pacific Company.

Roughly described, these lands consist of the old numbered section south of Mojave, west of the desert of that name, north of the San Gabriel range of mountains, and east of the Elizabeth Lake district, and comprise a territory of seventy-five miles long by forty wide. The most important part of this region is embraced in what is known as Antelope Valley, which stretches on both sides of the Southern Pacific branch line, running from Mojave to Los Angeles and Alpine. The land has an elevation of about fourteen hundred feet, and will, with water, alfalfa, grain, oranges, but, with water, alfalfa, grain, vegetables and deciduous fruits flourish.

TAKEN FOR GRANTED. WASHINGTON, July 11.—The land-office officials take it for granted that the case involving the ownership of lands in Los Angeles county, Cal., recently decided in favor of the United States by the United States Circuit Court by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. The grant in question was an overlapping one. It was not probable that the lands will be thrown open to settlement until the matter is decided in the court of last resort.

DISEASED COWS.

A Horrible State of Affairs in the Stockton District.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) STOCKTON, July 11.—A startling proof of the fact that the disease known as tuberculosis is spreading among the cows of this district today when the city and county veterinarian, Dr. Orvis, killed and dissected a fine-looking cow in the presence of members of the "Council and members of the Board of Health. The cow was a family animal, and appeared perfectly healthy, but attention was drawn to her by her coughing.

The tuberculosis was made by the veterinarian, and showed that the animal was diseased. Her appearance and general good looks were against the test, but on opening the body it was found that the lungs were rotten, and a very large tumor was discovered which, when opened, was found filled with pus. Tubercles were found throughout the viscera. The kidneys and heart were not affected, but the liver showed signs of the disease. The veterinarian said that the disease was so far advanced that the health officer directed that the body be destroyed. The physicians present acknowledged that the tuberculosis test was true.

MONEY IN THE "PURP."

A Printer Charged with Stealing a Gold-lined Dog.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Warren Hunter, a printer, is wanted by the police on a peculiar charge. He rooms in the house of Mrs. Sadie Stone at No. 7 Crook street. Stone owned a fox-terrier, which had been trained to catch money in its mouth, and other fancy tricks. On Monday night Mrs. Stone was preparing to go out to pay her month's rent, and she laid the money on a table where the dog was sitting. Among the coins was a \$10 gold-piece. The fox-terrier jumped upon the table, and, to her dismay, she saw it pick up the \$10 gold-piece from the table and run away with it. She was indignant at the disappearance of the \$10 gold-piece, and bewailed her loss to her roomers. Hunter, it is said, was among others to her story, and the next night disappeared, and the fox-terrier disappeared at the same time.

INSISTED ON TALKING.

A Loquacious Individual is Cited for Contempt.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SACRAMENTO, July 11.—The trial of George Mollusk, alias Oscar Jacobs, for manslaughter for the killing of Pastor Torres, is still in progress in the Superior Court. C. C. Addington, one of the jurors, filed an affidavit today stating that C. E. Addington came to his house at Third and Q streets and insisted in talking about the case. He told Addington that he must not do so. Judge Johnson has cited Addington to appear in court at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt.

IT WENT OFF.

A Prescott City Councillor Commits Suicide by Shooting.

FRESCOTT (Ariz.), July 11.—Gail A. Prescott, member of the Prescott City Council, committed suicide last night by shooting himself through the head with a .30-caliber pistol. He has been in financial trouble for some time, and yesterday was ejected from the hotel where he was rooming, for failure to pay his rent. He also had an order for a small amount of money yesterday on a party who refused to pay it, and parties cashing the order threatened

him with arrest today. His wife left him about a month ago with their little baby for a visit to California, which added to his despondency.

He has talked to friends for several weeks that he would be better dead than alive, and efforts have been made to dissuade him from his intentions, but the disfigure of probable arrest today, added to other troubles was more than he could bear, and after the meeting of the City Council last evening, he went to the cabinet room, gave the proprietor a letter to be sent to his wife, drew a pistol from his pocket, saying that he would not live till morning. Friends tried to get him to go home and go to bed, but he walked out of the saloon to the edge of the sidewalk, and, placing the muzzle to his head, remarked: "Wonder if this thing will go off," and, pulling the trigger, sent a ball crashing through his brain, falling dead in his tracks.

PERSONAL NOTORIETY.

Is Believed to be the Sole Aim of Eszta.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Antonio Eszta's announcement of his intention to return to Salvador at the head of an expedition and become President of that Central American republic, has created little interest here. Dr. Cornelio Lemus, the Salvadoran Minister of Finance, who is now in this city, says that Eszta ever returned to Salvador, military protection would be necessary to save his life from the people long enough for him to be tried on the criminal charges pending against him. He would also certainly be lynched. United States District Attorney Poole does not believe Eszta has any intention of returning to Salvador. He added that if Eszta attempts to leave port in a vessel of his own he will be arrested and have another trial in the United States. The United States District Attorney believes Eszta is simply seeking personal advertisement.

SPOILED THEIR GAME.

An Innocent Girl Rescued from Two Shady Characters.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) STOCKTON, July 11.—Officer Welsh this afternoon stopped a young girl who was about to leave town in company with a man and woman named Carter, and probably saved her from disgrace. The girl, who is about 16 years of age, was in a vessel of her own he will be arrested and have another trial in the United States. The United States District Attorney believes Eszta is simply seeking personal advertisement.

DEADLY COMPETITION.

Two Fish-peddlers Fill Each Other with Balls.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SAN ANDREAS, July 11.—Peter Moro, a young man of San Andreas, and Chris Held of Stockton, the latter about 55 years of age, both fish-peddlers, shot one another probably fatally today, near this place. It is believed that the two men for some time, and when they met on the road today they began quarreling about the prices for which they were selling fish. After a few words they pulled their pistols and began firing.

DISGUISED WITH LIFE.

A Young Ranchman Supposed to Have Drowned Himself.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SACRAMENTO, July 11.—It is believed in Sacramento tonight that Charles Brockway, a prominent and well-known farmer who resided near this city, ended his life by plunging into the Sacramento River. A messenger boy went to a lively stable this evening and noted a note pinned to the proprietor of the stable in which he asked him to take his team out to the ranch and to deliver a note to his aged mother.

THE FOLSOM PLANT.

Turned Over to the Estate as Per Agreement.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Today the immense plant of the Folsom Water-power Company was turned over to the State in accordance with an agreement made many years ago. The land and plant are worth at least \$2,000,000, and the State is richer by that amount.

A CAPITALIST'S FATE.

His Half-burned Body Found in a Swampy Bushes.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) SEATTLE (Wash.), July 11.—The partly-consumed body of Ransom Stokes, an aged capitalist living at Sunnyside, eight miles from here, was found in a clump of half-burned trees about a hundred yards from his house yesterday.

She Got Ham Soon.

SAN JOSE, July 11.—Soon Ho, a Chinese girl, who was abducted from Chinatown early yesterday morning, has been located. She has been married to Ham Ket Soon, one of her alleged abductors. City Justice Glass performed the ceremony.

Sonoma's Grape Crop.

HEALDSBURG, July 11.—Last year many tons of grapes rotted on the vines in this district, because the growers were unable to sell them all. This year conditions have changed. The cooperative capacity in Sonoma county has been increased by 700,000 gallons and

many wineries not operated last season are being put in shape. Wine-makers are offering \$10 a ton for grapes, but no sales have yet been made. The crop this year is hardly an average one.

Their Names Are Dennis.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The Evening Bulletin says that Governor Budd has chosen Dennis Spencer of Napa as attorney of the Board of Health to succeed George A. Knight. The latter claims that Gov. Markham appointed him under the statute authorizing an appointee to serve till his successor is elected. The job, which was awarded to Knight, is worth \$3000 per year with nominal duties. It was expected that Gov. Budd would advise the abolition of the office.

A Villainous Contractor.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—George Houston, a contractor and builder, incurred liabilities aggregating \$16,000. He then assigned to the Golden Gate Lumber Company, his creditors pronouncing the assignment fraudulent. When the creditors opposed his petition for insolvency he disappeared and cannot be found. Houston defrauded a number of people for whom he was building up, building up with great force, and their property to become tangled up with mechanics' liens. It is believed that he has gone east.

The Charge Against Roberts.

SAN DIEGO, July 11.—George E. Roberts, charged with the murder of Tomas Ruiz at Eucalyptus Canyon on July 9, was taken before Judge Bryan this afternoon and his examination was held for Saturday morning. He was fixed at \$2500. Roberts was unable to obtain bail, and returned to jail. The officers are busy gathering evidence which points strongly toward the story of an accidental shooting, while the fact that Ruiz was shot from behind has caused a searching investigation to be ordered by the District Attorney.

Folsom's Full Force.

SACRAMENTO, July 11.—A private test of the electric power was made this evening in the presence of a few citizens. The current came from the great power-house at Folsom, with great force, and the wheels in the distributing-house in this city revolved with smoothness. The power will be applied to the electric-car system tomorrow morning and as the first cars will be run, 500 guns will be fired from Sutter's fort.

A Portuguese Mangled.

DECATO, July 11.—Last evening Perry Machado, a young Portuguese living near here, was found lying unconscious between two horses in his stable, horribly bruised and cut about the body. He had been in the stable for some time in some manner unknown, having gotten between the animals and was knocked down. The doctor pronounced the injuries fatal. He has not yet recovered his senses.

Northwestern Insurance Men.

PORTLAND (Or.), July 11.—The insurance men of Oregon, Washington and Idaho have completed the organization of the Northwest Insurance Association. His Hawley was elected president, and Herbert Folger secretary. The management of the union is placed in the hands of an Executive Committee of five members. The object of the association is to control the insurance rates in the Northwest.

Lowered the Offense.

FRESNO, July 11.—The jury which heard the testimony in the case of Charles Brown on a charge of assault to commit murder, today returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty of assault with a deadly weapon. The jury was out all night. The extreme penalty which may be given Brown is two years in the penitentiary.

Work Enough for One Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—A new Federal grand jury will be formed in about two weeks. Its principal business will be to consider applications for indictments for agents in Honolulu and Japan, who are sending Japanese contract laborers to this country. Evidence showing the extent of this traffic is being collected by the Federal authorities.

Guarding a Mine.

SAN ANDREAS, July 11.—Dist. Atty. Snider and Constable Treat were called to the Starlight mine, about six miles from this town, this morning, to guard the machinery from the mine, which was purchased by parties at an auction sale. An armed force was in possession at noon today.

Josephine Dick's Death.

SACRAMENTO, July 11.—The coroner and a jury held an inquest tonight over the remains of Josephine Dick, a San Francisco young woman who ended her life in this city a few days ago by jumping into China Slough. The verdict was that she committed suicide through despondency.

The Sprockels Party.

SAN DIEGO, July 11.—Word has been received by carrier-pigeon and wire that Commodore John D. Sprockels' yacht, the Lurline, will arrive tomorrow from Catalina. On board are Sprockels, Charles M. Shortridge, Attorneys Delmas and Preston and William Cunningham.

Disposed of the Robbers.

NOGALLES (Ariz.), July 11.—A courier has arrived here from Oposura, in the Montezuma district of Sonora, with the information that, on July 4, near that place, six men were publicly executed by the Mexican authorities for complicity in a series of robberies which had been unearthed there.

Death of a Pioneer.

ANGELS CAMP, July 11.—Jacob Castor, a pioneer of this place, died last night, after a long illness. He has been prominent in business and political circles and was held in high esteem.

Robbed a Russian.

SACRAMENTO, July 11.—Two young men, W. J. Cook and "Whitely" Hayes, whose notorious reputations, were this afternoon held to answer to the Superior Court for robbery, for the theft of \$36 from Herman Bukkila, a Russian.

Where the Bill Hurts.

SAN JOSE, July 11.—The New Free Bill is under fire in the Superior Court. It is being held before Judge Johnson on various allegations of unconstitutionality. It cuts the fees of justices and constables so that they bring suit.

Military Companies Threatened.

SACRAMENTO, July 11.—The State Military Board of Location will meet in San Francisco next Monday, and it is said that fourteen and possibly several more companies will be mustered out.

A FRIGHTFUL DISASTER.

Fifteen Persons Killed and Eighty Injured in a Collision.

BUENOS AYRES, July 11.—(By South American Cable.) In the collision between two immigrant trains at San Pablo, province of Cordoba, fifteen persons were killed and eighty injured.

THE HENLEY FINALS

OXFORD'S GREAT PLAY TO "THE GALLERY."

Howls of Delight from the Bloomsbury at a Studied "Hit."

Etons Catch a Crab and Flounder Which Their Opponents Use to Advantage.

Texas Franchises Tackle the Big Fight—The Asbury Park Wheel Events—Sixteen Running Ball Game—Race Summaries.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

HENLEY-ON-THE-THAMES, July 11.—(Special Dispatch.) There was a large crowd today to witness the final heats of the Henley regatta. When Eton College and the crew from St. John's College, Oxford, were sent away in the final heat for the ladies' challenge plate, at the third stroke Eton's No. 2 caught a "crab" and lay at the bottom of the boat for a moment unable to rise. The Oxford boat was a couple of lengths ahead when the Oxford coxswain, H. C. Sells, cried, "Ease all!"

The Oxford crew returned to their post amid frantic applause, in which the umpire and others on his launch joined, while the Etons rattled their oars in the rowlocks in approval. "Brave Oxford" was heard on all sides, and the cry of "No more Cornell" was heard from several boats. The race then started again, and the Eton crew won by eight lengths.

The trustees of Cornell University have tried to bring two new rowing clubs to the Trinity Hall, Cambridge. The committee asserts that this will be the best answer to the criticisms passed upon the conduct of the Cornell crew now at Henley.

There is a London Rowing Club, comprising A. S. Little, bow; H. W. Stout, Vivian Nickalls and Guy Nickalls, stroke, defeated the crew of the Thames Rowing Club yesterday in the final heat of the stewards' challenge cup, winning that trophy.

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CAMBRIDGE'S TERMS.

The Conditions Are Satisfactory to Yale.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) NEW YORK, July 11.—The conditions made by Cambridge upon which they would accept Yale's counter-challenge for a meeting in New York, are in the main satisfactory to Yale. The following telegram was last night sent to the regatta committee at Cambridge: "The conditions made by Cambridge are satisfactory to Yale; Cambridge to sail by the Cunarder after August 27, the Yale to sail by the Cunarder after August 27. Yale would suggest that the 300-yard run, as our straight-away track are only 250 yards long, be extended to 300 yards. New Haven, and will put the Yale track at the disposal of Cambridge if the latter wishes."

ASBURY PARK EVENTS.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) ASBURY PARK (N. J.), July 11.—The cyclists who have thronged this city since the beginning of the week, settled down to business today, after enjoying themselves by road runs, hops and sight-seeing for the last few days.

The racing programme was begun in anything but promising weather, but by 10 o'clock there were 2000 devotees of the wheel on the stand. Rain drizzled down, but the cyclists were not deterred, and the weather cleared up, and an enjoyable afternoon's racing was witnessed by over 5000 people. Among those who secured prizes were: C. E. Pope, who had as a guest Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, a staunch friend of the bicycle as a means of increasing the efficiency of the regular army, and whose efforts many military bicycle corps have been organized.

The first race on the programme was for novices, declared a one-mile. The winner is only 15 years old, and has just left school. He is a brother of Mike Dinsberger, and last spring made a paced mile in 2:09 and a half mile in 6:39.

In the final heat of the half-mile open, class B, A. D. Kennedy of Chicago won, declared a one-mile. The winner is only 15 years old, and has just left school. He is a brother of Mike Dinsberger, and last spring made a paced mile in 2:09 and a half mile in 6:39.

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Henshaw (200) of New York third; time 4:37.

Half mile, open, class B: Arthur Gardner of Chicago won, F. H. Allen second, F. J. Jenny of Utica third; time 1:43 1-4.

Two miles national championship: Nat Butler of Boston won, Arthur Gardner second, C. R. Coulter of Toledo third; time 4:26.

One mile, open, with pacemakers, class B: E. C. Baldwin won, F. J. Titus of New York second, F. H. Allen third; time 1:07 1-2.

One mile, tandem, class A: Caldwell and Butler first, Henshaw and Owens second; time 2:30 1-5.

One mile, for professionals, paced by Zimmerman and Wheeler: P. J. Bentlow of Boston won, J. F. Starbuck of Riverside second, P. E. Bartholomew of Riverton third; time 2:18.

THE BIG FIGHT.

The Arena to be the Largest in This Country.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) DALLAS (Tex.), July 11.—A diagram of the Fitzsimmons-Corbett building displayed at Dan Stuart's office shows an octagon structure covering nearly four acres. The following are its divisions:

Unreserved seats, 30,888; reserved seats, 17,888; seats in balcony, 2468; seats for the press, 652; total, 52,815. There never was such a theater built in the United States. The decorations wigwag at Chicago held 50,000, and the Music Hall at the World's Fair no more. The prize ring, in the center will be forty feet square, four feet from the ground. Enormous as the capacity is, it is expected that every seat will be taken. Secretary Wheeler was busy this morning marking off the boxes and seats taken by persons at a distance.

THE PREACHERS AND THE LAW. AUSTIN, (Tex.) July 11.—A delegation of the ministers of Austin have called upon the Governor and earnestly appealed to him to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, saying that it was a burning shame. The Governor gave them a respectful hearing and assured them that if the provisions of the law were observed, the officers would see to it that the fight did not come off. The ministers say that they want the law made adequate so as to prevent the fight.

THE SALE OF SEATS.

DALLAS, (Tex.) July 11.—The sale of seats for the big fight began last night. J. T. Trezevant, President of the State Fair Association, was the first man served. He took five seats. The sales by wire and personal application has reached \$10,000.

AFTER FITZ'S STAKE MONEY.

BROOKLYN, (N. Y.) July 11.—Deputy Sheriff Thompson of Kings County served attachment papers on Philip Dwyer for the \$10,000 stake money of Robert Fitzsimmons that he has in his possession, binding the match with Corbett. The complaint is Joseph H. Tooke, a theatrical printer of this city, who says that Fitzsimmons owes him the amount for work done during the last winter.

EASTERN BASEBALL.

Boston and Louisville Play Sixteen Games to Tie.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) LOUISVILLE, July 11.—It was a battle royal for sixteen innings and had to be called on account of darkness, the score standing 2 to 2.

Louisville 2, base hits 11, errors 2.

Boston 2, base hits 13, errors 3.

Batteries—McDermott and Warner; Dolan and Ryan.

BALTIMORE-CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Chicago 3, base hits 7, errors 6.

Batteries—Hutchinson, Thornton and Donahue; Heming and Clarke.

CLEVELAND-NEW YORK.

CLEVELAND, July 11.—Cleveland 9, base hits 13, errors 4.

New York 15, base hits 16, errors 3.

Batteries—Cuppy, Wallace and O'Connor; German and Wilson.

PITTSBURGH-BROOKLYN.

PITTSBURGH, July 11.—Pittsburgh 4, base hits 11, errors 2.

Batteries—Hawley and Merritt; Lucid and Grim.

PHILADELPHIA-ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—St. Louis 1, base hits 5, errors 2.

Philadelphia 9, base hits 19, errors 1.

Batteries—Ehret and Miller; Carsey and Buckley.

JOHNSON WAS SLOW.

He Fails to Equal the Time of Cop Baker.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

COLUMBUS (O.) July 11.—The bicyclists proved a drawing card at the Columbus Driving Park today, 7000 spectators coming out. Paced by a tandem, John S. Johnson went a mile against time in 2:02. Last year Cop Baker went a mile on the same track in 1:59.

The professional bicycle races, which were a big attraction last year, have been postponed until tomorrow.

DETROIT EVENTS.

DETROIT, (Mich.) July 11.—Good racing by large fields was the rule at Windsor today.

The 2:20 trot, postponed: Chloe won, Harry B. second, Bassora third; best time, 2:17 1-2.

The 2:20 pacing: Miss Rita won, Roxie T. second, Anheuser third; best time, 2:14 1-2.

The 2:14 trot: James L. won, Geneva second, New York Central third; best time, 2:11 1-2.

The 2:30 trot, unfinished: Augustine M. won two heats, Bessie Albattros, Volunteer Medium and Vasher won one heat each; best time, 2:22 1-2.

MILWAUKEE'S CARD.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) July 11.—The feature of the day was the Merchants' Handicap, which Woketa won by a head in a hard drive.

Seven furlongs: Lismore won, White Wings second, Abess third; time 1:23 1-2.

Five furlongs: Irene Woods won, Secon second, Gearhart third; time 1:32.

Free handicap, seven furlongs: Made line won, Marie Woodland second, Tough Timber third; time 1:23 1-2.

The Merchants' Handicap: Woketa won, Miss Young second, Aunt Lida third; time 1:43 1-2.

One mile and a sixteenth: Dave Pulisier won, Fritie L. second, Young Arion third; time 1:48 1-2.

Brighton Beach.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The best race of the day at Brighton Beach was the fourth, which was won by Monaco in a terrific drive. Dorian scared all but three others out of the third race and won hardly in 1:40.

Five furlongs, Lord Hawkstone won, Humming Bird second, Renaissance third; time 1:02 1-2.

Five furlongs, selling: Frank Harris won, Article second, Dulcie Laronde third; time 1:02 1-2.

One mile: Dorian won, Aurelian second, Gitta Percha third; time 1:40 1-2.

One mile and a sixteenth: Monaco won, Paladin second, Deer Slayer third; time 1:50 1-2.

One mile: Daily America won, Fac-

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

BURBANK—A Cold Day.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Do not depend upon the return of rejected manuscripts, but retain copies if you wish to preserve your contributions. Articles should be typewritten and MSS. sent flat. Practice brevity and write plainly.

PARTICULAR NOTICE.

City subscribers to The Times visiting the country or seaside resorts during the summer can have the daily mailed to them, for a week or longer, by ordering and prepaying for the same at the publication office, or they can have it delivered in any of the seaside towns by ordering from the local agent, and paying in advance.

A FREE LABOR BUREAU.

On Monday next the State Bureau of Labor will inaugurate a free employment department at No. 215 Sansome street, San Francisco. The object will be to assist the large number of deserving persons now out of employment in this State to secure employment. It is estimated that within a short time after the opening of registration the number of enrollments will reach from 10,000 to 15,000.

Labor Commissioner Fitzgerald, in a circular just sent out, requests farmers, fruit-growers, packers, hop-growers, manufacturers, and, in fact, all persons who wish to employ help of any kind, to fill their requirements from the bureau, so far as is practicable. Blank forms have been prepared which will be sent to employers upon application.

The plan seems to be a feasible one. If properly managed the free employment bureau should be productive of much benefit to both employers and employed throughout the State. The Commissioner, without going into details as to the plan, announces that the system adopted is so arranged that, after a trial of persons employed under it, provided the employer will follow the instructions accompanying each person sent out, the bureau will be in a position to reward none but careful, conscientious and deserving persons. It is believed that the new undertaking will be a pronounced success, provided it receives the hearty support and co-operation of employers.

A TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.
Los Angeles is not behind other cities of its size in philanthropic movements. We have here a large-hearted and intelligent people, ready to take hold of and sustain any movement that looks to the amelioration of suffering and the relief of existing ills.

The latest move in this direction has been suggested by Dr. Barber, the efficient superintendent of the County Hospital, who proposes the establishment of a training school for nurses. Arrangements have been so far perfected that such a school will be opened on Monday next at the hospital, and here young ladies may commence a two-years' course of instruction, such as shall qualify them for the work of the thoroughly trained and intelligent nurse.

Graduates from our public schools and universities are preferred, who have a love for and native adaptability to such duties. Instruction will be given free of charge, and arrangements will be made for the board and comfort of the students. Such books as are needed for study will also be supplied, and every necessary help will be given to enable the young lady students to make the most of the opportunities afforded them.

It is a wise move in the right direction, and The Times sincerely hopes that it may receive the support and the patronage which it deserves.

Woodland is enjoying the exhilaration of a crusade against the scarlet sisterhood. An effort is being made to drive all women of that class out of town, and the ministers are particularly active in the work of "purification." It does not seem to have occurred to any of the Woodland crusaders to ask themselves what is to become of these women if they are driven out of town. Will they establish themselves in the country, near by? Or will they migrate to some other city? They cannot reasonably be expected to get off the earth, and reformation is denied them. It looks very much as if the Woodland plan was a kind of abolition that doesn't abolish.

direct access of the sunlight into them, which is possible here from January to December, affords us almost unlimited exemption from epidemic and other diseases from which other portions of the world suffer.

The moral of this is: Do not keep closed doors and windows; admit the life-giving rays of sunshine; flood your homes with them, and you may live to a ripe old age, with strength preserved and with freedom from the dangerous assaults of various bacteria assured.

The Iowa Republicans did well in nominating Gen. Drake for Governor. He is an able and popular man, and a thorough Republican. His election is a foregone conclusion. They also did well in adopting, as the currency plank of their platform, the currency plank of the Republican national platform of 1892. That plank is broad enough and solid enough for the Republican party in every State to stand upon. It covers the whole currency question most succinctly and admirably. It points the way to the only practical methods of maintaining an honest currency, yet declares in emphatic terms for bimetalism, and for free and unlimited silver coinage so soon as it can be accomplished without danger to the integrity of our currency.

It is interesting to note the number of bicycles upon our streets, for we realize by so doing that a new means of locomotion is rapidly coming into play. It looks a good deal as if the horse would have to give place to the omnipresent bicycle for mere pleasuring purposes. Our liveries are already complaining of the rapid decline of their business. It is so in other cities, and cycling does not appear to be merely a fad, but a change that has "come to stay." It is more fascinating than horseback riding, more conducive to health, and offers much to increase a growing sentiment in its favor.

America has hardly more than begun to be populated, as yet. It is estimated that good homes for from 75,000,000 to 150,000,000 may be made in arid America by the aid of irrigation. Judge Emery of Kansas is reported as saying, at an irrigation convention, that arid and semi-arid America is one-half as large as all of our domain, excepting Alaska. This arid section is practically an open and unsettled region. Turn the life-giving water upon it and it might soon teem with prosperous and populous communities. In the light of such grand possibilities who can measure the future of this country?

New experiments in motive power for street railroads are soon to be made in the East. Compressed air as a propelling force is to be tried in Baltimore. It is claimed that a car can be charged in half a minute to run fifteen miles. Cars are being equipped for the experiment, and if successful another problem of rapid and cheap transportation will be solved. The use of compressed air for this purpose is by no means a new idea, but it is presumable that the Baltimore device has some features of novelty which are relied upon to assure its success.

The fallacies and follies of "Coin's Financial School" have been so completely exposed by the various attacks which have been made upon it, that the discussion has lost most of its interest. The flat fog is rapidly disappearing in the clear sunlight of financial truth. Furthermore, the prospects of international bimetalism have materially improved within the past few weeks, and should this movement be successful, the flat silverites will find themselves without an occupation or a issue.

Senor Sagasta, ex-Premier of Spain, is quoted as saying in interview that Spain will pay the Mora claim of some \$2,500,000 if the United States will pay for damages sustained by Spaniards during the war of the rebellion, or words to that effect. This looks very much like a cheap subterfuge to stave off payment of the Mora claim. But very probably Senor Sagasta was not authorized to speak for his government in this matter, and was simply talking through his hat.

Gov. Budd, it is alleged, will draw \$100,000 as attorney fees in the Fair will contest. It is apparent at a glance that it would be downright cruelty to require the Governor to give his undivided attention to the duties of his office.

Englishmen apparently regard it as a mark of distinction to be ignorant of American geography. James P. H. English author, recently wrote in the London Illustrated News about "the State of Albany," in which he said the city of New York was situated.

It is reported upon apparently good authority that Cleveland is thinking seriously of entering the lists as Democratic candidate for a third term. If he would devote but one day, even

to reading his country's opinion of him, nothing would induce him to consider, for a moment, a proposition so preposterous as that he could again be elected President of the United States.

It is announced that T. V. Powderly, ex-general master workman of the Knights of Labor, "is getting ready to renounce all allegiance to the Democratic party." This, coming so soon upon the announcement that Mr. Cleveland will be a candidate for re-election, is, indeed, a crushing blow to the Democracy.

Our summer thus far has been a season of perfect temperature, to which one could desire nothing added nor anything taken away. It is difficult for people in the East to realize the perfection of Southern California climate, but if they will only come to this section they will vote for it all the time.

The forest fires in the Northern lumber States have begun their annual devastation. More timber is destroyed annually in those States by fire, probably, than is cut by the lumbermen. Most of the fires are started by careless hunters.

European countries have a combined annual revenue, it is stated, of \$2,980,000,000, and total expenditures of \$3,300,000,000. Very much like the United States during the past two years.

A contemporary calls him "Gov. Budd." Of course, it is a mistake.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

BURBANK THEATRE.—"A Cold Day" is drawing good houses at the Burbank, and the lively comedy continues to grow in favor. R. L. Scott as Jacob Blow has made a hit. Carl Berch does well in a rather unflattering role. H. Lewellyn is quite clever in the role of Able Effort, and Harry Warren, who appears as Nancy, his wife, is a strong acquisition to the Cooper company, displaying marked ability in each of the parts in which she has been cast. All the other members of the organization do such conscientious work as to deserve considerable praise. "A Cold Day" will be given its last two presentations tomorrow.

[RAILROAD RECORD.]

THE VALLEY ROAD.

WORK ON THE NEW LINE IS PROGRESSING.

A Burlington Passenger Agent is Dying.—The Utah Central and Union Pacific—A Sensational Cross Bill in the Duluth Case.

Work on the San Joaquin Valley road seems to be proceeding right along with the indications of its successful completion. An Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco says that rails for the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley road are being unloaded from the steamer Washtenaw, and being put aboard the barge Planet, which will be towed to Stockton. The cargo is expected to be in Stockton by Monday. On the first of August the Valley road expects to begin the work of laying ties on the graded portion of the road in Stockton, to be rapidly followed by the laying of rails. By the time the rails are spiked down there will be at least one more ready for service, and a number of flat and box cars ready for it to haul.

A BURLINGTON MAN DYING.
KANSAS CITY (Mo.), July 11.—G. D. Baxter, traveling passenger agent of the Burlington Railroad, one of the oldest and best-known railroad men in the West, is dying at the Midland Hotel in this city of pneumonia. Baxter was found in his room late last night unconscious of his condition, and his friends, and it developed that he had been delirious for several days.

DULUTH AND WINNIPEG.
DULUTH (Minn.), July 11.—A sensational cross-bill and answer to the suit brought forward by the Duluth and Winnipeg Railway by the Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit Company of Pennsylvania has been filed in the Federal court by J. C. Bennett, N. Spaulding and J. C. Bennett of Duluth, Senator C. K. Davis of St. Paul and the estate of the late E. J. Sawyer of Minneapolis, who want cancellation of the Pennsylvania contract declared void, and the receiver, W. H. Fitch, who was put in charge at the instance of President John Horn of the Canadian Pacific, who was put in charge of the contract by a duly interested party, and the property sold to satisfy just claims of the creditors of the company.

UTAH BOTHERED BONDS.
NEW YORK, July 11.—At a meeting of holders of Utah Southern general mortgage extension bonds today Peter B. Wickoff, Samuel Carr, Alexander H. Stevens and Isaac H. Bromley were appointed a committee to examine the property and the relations of the Utah Pacific Railway. The committee was instructed to report as soon as possible.

SANTA FE MAGNATES.
SAN DIEGO, July 11.—President B. P. Cheney, Jr., and a party of directors of the Santa Fe and Santa Fe and Santa Fe have arrived from Boston, via San Francisco, and will remain several weeks, going over the property of the company. They will also go over the Sweetwater irrigation system, and the building of the National City and Otay Railroad, besides increasing the acreage of lemon orchards. The company now has a 1000-acre orchard in one body and is planting more. Cheney, as president of the Reorganization Committee of the Santa Fe, is also at work inspecting that system, in company with Charles S. Glead, a solicitor of Topeka.

BETTER LINES.
OMAHA (Nebr.), July 11.—All Western railroads are again increasing their forces. During the panic the Milwaukee laid off 20 per cent. of its employees, but now orders have been issued for the increase of its forces in all departments. It is not quite so much as the old force will be at work soon, and by August 1, possibly, more than were formerly employed.

The Union Pacific is opening its Cheyenne shops, and the Burlington is increasing its shop force at Holdrege. The Elkhorn is also dropping the greater part of its forces, and its forces are being better times, and its forces are being increased slowly but surely. The Chicago and North Western, the Omaha and the Missouri Pacific have also put additional men to work at the various departments along their lines. The Elkhorn is also dropping the greater part of its forces, and its forces are being better times, and its forces are being increased slowly but surely. The Chicago and North Western, the Omaha and the Missouri Pacific have also put additional men to work at the various departments along their lines. The Elkhorn is also dropping the greater part of its forces, and its forces are being better times, and its forces are being increased slowly but surely. 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THE MAYOR'S TWINS WERE GIVEN A HANDSOME CARRIAGE.

A Negro Convicted—Jolly Sons of St. George Entertain—Water Improvements—Shall the Reservoir be Covered?—North Pasadena Committee.

PASADENA, July 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) There are thirty-one gentlemen in this community who believe most enthusiastically in the time-honored American doctrine, that "it is the business of the nation, to increase the population."

And when a patriotic duty is well performed are ready to give honor where honor is due, whether it be to Caesar or to Mayor Cox. These thirty-one gentlemen assembled on Wednesday evening at the City Hall, between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock, and went word to the Mayor, who was enjoying his dolce far niente and proudly contemplating his twins beneath his own roof-tree, that civic affairs demanded his attention, and requested him to his straightway to the Recorder's office.

This he did, and it was intimated to him by Recorder Rosseter, usually the most straightforward of bachelors, but for this occasion assuming a guile foreign to his character, that a mass-meeting of the citizens would be held at the City Hall to discuss the burning question whether Pasadena should take its water plain, or have literally "thrown in" a variety of vegetables and animals which, though small, have Latin names long enough to frighten the boldest. When Mayor Cox arrived at the City Hall, about twenty gentlemen were arguing the "water question" in the most impassioned manner. Should the reservoirs be covered or not covered, was the question, and whether it was nobler in the fauce to suffer the stings and arrows of outrageous tadpoles, or plunge at once into a sea of bacteria, and opposing ends them, W. S. Willmore proposed, and, in his official capacity, called upon Recorder Rosseter for a speech. This was rather hard on the Judge, but he was not "deaf as an infant," which he was proceeding to disclose. He was explaining how to tell the age of a twin by looking at its teeth, when Marshall Spurgeon wheeled in a handsome double-decked baby carriage, which was fitted with two umbrellas and all the other conveniences for which extremely juvenile twins are supposed to yearn, and this places of brilliant and materialistic eloquence quite eclipsed that of the catatonic President. The remarks appropriate to the occasion and the baby carriage were delivered. Speeches were made by Messrs. Lott, McAllister and Arthur. Rosseter and Remus, Jack and Jill, Castor and Pollux, Gog and Magog, and all of the other famous and illustrious names were brought forward, that the proud father of the twins in honor of whom the company was assembled, might realize the glory which would be his if he were to give the names of every gentleman present, and in accepting the handsome token of congratulation, did it with the air of a man who trusted to his contemporaries not to magnify fortunate accidents into a wilful striving after fame.

CONVICTED OF ASSAULT. Archie Hill, the colored youth who attempted, some time ago, to give the vitals of the venerable Jerry Thomas, and who only succeeded in ripping the old gentleman's garments, was on trial for the offense in Recorder Rosseter's court. Thomas, who is a well-known player of the saddle-colored youth with homicidal tendencies, and questioned the authority of Archie to collect the same. A quarrel ensued, resulting in the attempted bloodshed. Dist. Atty. Willis argued the case for the people, and Henry Woolner of Los Angeles appeared for the defendant. The jury, consisting of Capt. Wakely, R. J. Wagon, J. J. Brown, J. H. Horton, S. Weight, and J. Brown, decided that Archie was guilty as charged, and he was accordingly given 120 days in the Los Angeles Jail.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE. The Sons of St. George, the most of them loyal citizens of the realm presided over by Uncle Sam, and do not "take their pleasures sadly," as it is said their brethren on the other side of the "big pond" are wont to do. Judging by their enjoyment of the entertainment Wednesday evening, they are a family of jolly sons, who enjoy society and its attendant amenities. G. A. R. Hall, where they held their picnic, was hardly large enough to contain all the members of the society and their guests. The first part of the evening was devoted to the singing of songs, and a piano duet by Messrs. Moorehead and Stansbury; song, V. Hardwick; cornet solo, Miss Moorehead; piano, Mrs. Moorehead; song, K. Carter. Mr. Barnes, Miss Minnie Young, Miss Clinch, A. Clare, J. Clinch and Prof. Watson also sang. After the formal exercises, refreshments were served, and dancing was the order of amusement.

WATER IMPROVEMENTS. The Lake Vineyard Land and Water Company is laying new, four-inch mains for the supply of North Moline, North Raymond and South Hudson avenue, in place of the two-inch pipe which has heretofore supplied those streets. This improvement will rectify, in many cases, the lack of pressure which is complained of in some localities along those streets, and will give better service. The Pasadena Land and Water Company is extending its pipes on Palm avenue to serve the western section of the city. It is said that the company deems it necessary to clean the Orange Grove reservoir once every ten days, and is seriously considering the covering of the receptacle as a matter of economy as well as healthfulness. So far as can be learned the Lake Vineyard Company has taken no decisive steps toward the covering of its reservoirs, but most of the directors favor the idea, the master of expense alone standing in the way.

HOUSE BURNED DOWN. As Edward Hobson and his brother were going home this evening about 10:30, they discovered on Adelia avenue, between Villa and Park streets, flames issuing from a rooming house. They broke in a door, and finding no one within, they gave the alarm, and the fire department responded, though too late to save the building, which

burned to the ground. The building had been occupied occasionally by tramps, and it is thought that some member of that class set fire to it, either by accident or design. The house was owned by J. C. Chacey.

PASADENA BREVITIES. The following are the persons appointed for the two committees of citizens of North Pasadena: First committee of nine, whose duties it shall be to consider and report on the petitioning to the interests of North Pasadena: M. D. Painter, D. M. Smyth, Byron Jack, Lyman Allen, E. B. Tebbets, R. B. Colcord, J. Woodworth, H. E. Bent, W. P. Graves; second committee of five, whose duty it shall be to canvass North Pasadena in order to obtain an expression from each vote either for or against annexation: Lyman Allen, W. H. Vedder, Cyrus Wright, Samuel W. Pyle, D. W. Lewis.

It will interest Pasadena people to know that they have in their midst two direct descendants of Maisonneuve, the founder of the city of Montreal. They are Mrs. Col. Place and Miss Collamer, who reside on Howard street. A monument to Maisonneuve was unveiled July 1 in front of the City Hall, and it was from the chisel of Sculptor Herbert, assisted by the great Bartholdi, and a number of other French sculptors, that the monument was carved. It was the work of the city, and Maisonneuve's intendancy of twenty years.

Dr. Rosenberger, whose carriage was badly smashed through the carelessness of a driver, has been sent to the company a formal notification of the accident, as a hint of what the equitable arrangement of the affair should be. The running gear of the vehicle was smashed beyond repair, the top and wheels alone being fit for use. So far the electric road has paid no attention to the communication.

T. P. Lukens is absent in the Yosemite Valley, where he expects to remain for three months. As Trustees Weed and Col. Place are absent, the City Council has not a force large enough for the transaction of business, and unless one of the absent Trustees held at the City Hall to discuss the burning question whether Pasadena should take its water plain, or have literally "thrown in" a variety of vegetables and animals which, though small, have Latin names long enough to frighten the boldest. When Mayor Cox arrived at the City Hall, about twenty gentlemen were arguing the "water question" in the most impassioned manner. Should the reservoirs be covered or not covered, was the question, and whether it was nobler in the fauce to suffer the stings and arrows of outrageous tadpoles, or plunge at once into a sea of bacteria, and opposing ends them, W. S. Willmore proposed, and, in his official capacity, called upon Recorder Rosseter for a speech. This was rather hard on the Judge, but he was not "deaf as an infant," which he was proceeding to disclose. He was explaining how to tell the age of a twin by looking at its teeth, when Marshall Spurgeon wheeled in a handsome double-decked baby carriage, which was fitted with two umbrellas and all the other conveniences for which extremely juvenile twins are supposed to yearn, and this places of brilliant and materialistic eloquence quite eclipsed that of the catatonic President. The remarks appropriate to the occasion and the baby carriage were delivered. Speeches were made by Messrs. Lott, McAllister and Arthur. Rosseter and Remus, Jack and Jill, Castor and Pollux, Gog and Magog, and all of the other famous and illustrious names were brought forward, that the proud father of the twins in honor of whom the company was assembled, might realize the glory which would be his if he were to give the names of every gentleman present, and in accepting the handsome token of congratulation, did it with the air of a man who trusted to his contemporaries not to magnify fortunate accidents into a wilful striving after fame.

W. T. Staats and a party of Los Angeles friends have been making an outing trip into Ventura county for a few days past.

Miss Coates of Pomona, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lott for some time, will be returning to her home.

Five French satines, regular 35-cent quality, 19 cents. Gardner & Webster.

POMONA. July 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) This morning about 7:45 o'clock a poor young man, John Cosad, about 22 years of age, partially demented, who was on June 22 discharged from the insane asylum at Highland in an adjoining county by Dr. Campbell, the authorities, smashed in the side-window plate-glass pane of the People's Bank. He was taken into custody by City Marshal Lorber, and the above facts elicited by query and examination, the doctor, from the asylum being found upon his person. It seems that his is of the emotional phase of insanity, and that his "fad" is the line of destruction so far as property is concerned. The poor unfortunate was placed in the City Jail for safe-keeping, until the proper legal course for the matter can be taken.

Some are now estimating the output of the present crop of apricots fully as low as one-third of what it was last year, and the authorities are not so far from being carefully handled in drying.

Another Sunday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock the Union Christian Endeavorers of Pomona will hold a session in the Baptist Church of this city, the same hour at which the national convention assembled in Boston, Mass.

Another large party of Pomonians left via the 8:55 Southern Pacific local this morning for the beach points. One party of young men, who have been sojourning for a time in San Antonio Canyon, returned this morning.

Rev. Mrs. J. B. Gowen, pastor of the Parish hold the fortnightly entertainment at the Parish Hall this evening.

Mrs. John James and daughter of Alhambra, N. M. have just arrived in Pomona on a visit to the family of City Recorder Oliver Young.

Several ranchers have dried their own crops of apricots, and are rather too far distant from the drying yards.

A hunting and outing party, composed of Howard, Mr. Charles Northcraft and others, will leave for San Bernardino Mountains tomorrow morning, where they anticipate a good time. The party will be accompanied by a devil can occasionally have just such fun.

The only remaining saloon in town, that on North Main street, has just one week more lease of life before its doors must be closed, and this will end the second lesson.

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ORANGE COUNTY.

RUMOR OF THE BUILDING OF A CONVENT.

Fell from a Steep and Broke an Arm—Epworth League Entertainment—The Farmers Institute. Charged with Criminal Libel—News Notes.

SANTA ANA, July 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) A report has been current on the streets in Santa Ana the past several days that the new Lay property on Sixth street would in a short time be dedicated to the Catholics for a nunnery. As the A.P.A.s are quite strong in Santa Ana, the report does not seem to be very well founded. Joseph Koch, the owner of the property, could not be seen today in regard to the possibility of the establishment of a nunnery, as he was out of the city.

A BROKEN ARM. Mrs. Halladay, wife of Daniel Halladay, who resides on East First street, fell from the front stoop early this (Thursday) afternoon, breaking her forearm near the wrist. The accident, which the young and Mrs. Halladay is well up in years, the injury assumes a more serious aspect.

HE GAVE BAIL. A. Burt Byrnes, a recent attaché of the Santa Ana Evening Blade, who has been a few days ago for criminal libel on a warrant held by an officer in Santa Barbara, went before Justice of the Peace Huntington Wednesday and readily gave bail for his appearance in Santa Barbara when wanted.

THE TROUBLE IS CLAIMED TO BE OVER A CERTAIN PARAGRAPH IN A CITY DIRECTORY, which the young and Mrs. Halladay recently, in which a young student was referred to in an uncomplimentary way. Mr. Byrnes claims, however, that the whole thing was intended as a joke.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE ENTERTAINED. The Epworth League of Santa Ana was very pleasantly entertained on Wednesday evening at the residence of Miss Blanche Collins in Fairview. The young people from the city drove out to Fairview in carriages, and all report a most excellent time. Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Norris, Mrs. E. F. Hubbard, Miss Elizabeth Morrison and sister, Miss Mary and Myrtle Hall, Carrie and Frances Hill, Sallie Hankey, Kate Dryer, Bertha Butcher, Jessie Beach, Anna Steward, Myrtle Grier, Grace Cole, Iva Reed, Louise and John Fairview, Miss Stanley, Miss Rider of Pasadena; Prof. D. R. Wood, Messrs. Harry McIntire, Charles Hill, Bolton Borglum, George Dryer, Harry and Myrtle, Charles Marshall, Frank Bruner, George Kyrril, Frank Townsley, Harvey Clark and Rev. Mr. Rider.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE. The Farmers' Institute will begin in Santa Ana tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock and continue until Saturday evening.

The soil-tillers are looking forward to a grand, good meeting, and from present indications, their expectations are well founded. The institute will be held at each session by practical husbandmen on subjects of at least general interest to the soil-tillers. The institute will be held in the afternoon in the hall of the University of California and in the morning in the hall of the University of California.

An interesting programme has been arranged for the institute session, during which several ladies, well known throughout the county, will take a prominent part.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. Max Posner and bride arrived in Santa Ana Thursday from Coronado, where they have been stopping since their marriage in Los Angeles about ten days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Posner were driven to Santa Ana by Marshall Spurgeon street, that has been awaiting them upon their arrival from the south.

Col. George E. Morrison, past supreme representative of the Knights of the White Star, is in Santa Ana, and while here he visited the local K. of P. lodge. Col. Morrison is a resident of San Francisco.

Corina, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gowen, died Wednesday evening of membranous croup. The funeral services will be held tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, and will be private.

Judge Frank Moody of Glenn county is in Santa Ana, the guest of J. G. Scarborough, Esq. Mr. Moody was formerly a well-known young lawyer of Santa Ana. He is now Supreme Judge of Glenn county.

Dr. W. F. Perry of Perris, is in Santa Ana for a few days, the guest of Dr. W. G. Devore. The doctor is thinking of going to Los Angeles in this portion of the county.

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Prof. M. C. Masterson of Lordsburg College started on his wheel Wednesday for a trip to Los Angeles, Santa Monica and some of the other beaches. Bert Torrey, of the firm of Torrey Bros., and H. M. Williams, manager of the Woodward ranch, went to Los Angeles on the early Santa Fe train Thursday morning on a business trip.

Earl Myers, of the Richards orange ranch, went to San Bernardino Thursday morning.

Rev. E. C. Knott of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, started on a trip East Thursday morning. He goes via the Northern Pacific, stopping at Yellowstone Park, and returning, he will come over the Canadian Pacific. He intends to spend his vacation in the first trip over the northern lines, he having traveled over all the others in former years.

Mr. Jacob Horton is preparing to occupy his cottage at Long Beach for the summer. She expects to be located there in time to enjoy the Chautauqua meetings.

J. A. Packard has a large force of men and women drying apricots on his Evans ranch near Lordsburg. The apricots are being dried in the sun. The silent season seems to be a favorite for parties of young folks who are going to the various beaches for an outing.

David Kerns has a well bored 120 feet deep on property near the college, and seems to have secured an immense supply of water. He is putting in a large windmill and tank to secure water for irrigating purposes.

FROM CATALINA. AVALON, (Catalina Island), July 11.—(By Homing-pigeon.) "Comma" of the Catalina Carrier-pigeon Service (The Times). The gentlemen on board the yacht Lurline came ashore late yesterday afternoon, explored the beauties of Avalon, enjoyed a smoke on the hotel piazza, a chat with the pretty girls, the twilight band concert and later repaired to the hotel for the night.

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AN UNCOMFORTABLE CASE OF MIS-TAKEN IDENTITY.

Question of Delegates' Expenses—Amicable Exchange of Palmita—Knights Templar Badges—Sunday-school Picnic—Donation to Etiwanda Church.

SAN BERNARDINO, July 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) There was a telegram sent from here last night that was founded on several rumors, which, by a combination of them all, gave a very wrong impression of the real state of affairs as events having no bearing on each other placed unjust suspicion on an innocent person.

It was all about the New St. Charles Hotel and its new proprietor, Richard Day, who came recently from Meadville, Penn., and has made a host of friends here during his brief residence, and about his cook, a young man named White. It seems a law firm here received a note for collection, signed by a man named Richard Day, from Los Angeles, but the note antedated the arrival on this coast of our Mr. Day and the latter, on being shown the note, promptly denied all knowledge of it.

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Terminal Island. Los Angeles Terminal Railway, Sunday trains leave Los Angeles at 8, 9:05 a.m., 1:05, 3:15 p.m. Last train leaves the beach at 6:45 p.m. Venetian Lady Mandolin Orchestra will play all day at Pavilion. Best bathing on the Coast. Good meals at reasonable rates at Pavilion. Bowling and sailboats at low rates. Round trip 50 cents.

Levy. The great cornetist, and the Ninth Regiment Band will give open-air concert at Redondo Beach Sunday. Trains on the Santa Fe leave at 7:30 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 m., 1:20 p.m., 2 o'clock. Returning, afternoon trains leave the beach at 12 m., 3:30 p.m., 4 p.m., 5:25 p.m., 7 p.m. Round trip, 50 cents.

We are going to close out all our broken lines of wool, merino and hild underwear at less than actual cost: \$1.50 goods at \$1; \$1.25 goods at 75c; 75c goods at 50c. See our windows: don't be last, be first. Silverwood, the furnisher, No. 124 South Spring street.

Mr. Samish. of San Francisco, the well-known china decorator, has opened his studio with Meyberg Bros., Nos. 134-140 South Main street, and is now prepared to give lessons in the latest styles.

Ladies. don't forget Gibson's closing-out sale of ladies' and children's shoes. The prices are so low as to be out of all proportion to the quality of the goods. Nos. 142 and 144 North Spring street.

Santa Monica. trains via Santa Fe leave daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 5:25 p.m. Sunday, special at 7 p.m. Returning special leaves the beach at 10 p.m.

Men and brethren. for foot comfort nothing equals a russet shoe. Gibson has them for all shades and every style. Nos. 142-144 North Spring street.

The Nickel Creamery is now open; ice cream and other orders delivered to any part of the city. Tel. 1415, No. 542 South Spring street.

For good, single double and tally-ho turnouts, go to the St. George Stables, No. 510 South Broadway. J. L. Sanderson, proprietor.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Railway to Long Beach and San Pedro. Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

Terminal Island. The pavilion and bathhouse are open for the season. Fish dinners: fine bathing, boating and sailing. Dr. William Allan has moved his office to his house, 1029 West 7th street. Telephone W. 84.

Catalina Island—Fast time and close connections. via Terminal Railway. See time tables in this paper.

Breakfast—ice cream, cream, two eggs, rolls and coffee, 25c. Hollenbeck Cafe.

Have you an appetite? Try the Koster Cafe, No. 140 South Spring street.

Dr. P. H. Hest. has been removed to the Byrne Block, room 228.

Dr. Hitchcock. Byrne Block, Tel. 592.

Dr. J. H. Davidson. Byrne blk. Tel. 592.

Buy Barden's shoes. Free shines daily.

Telegrams for the following persons are at the Western Union Telegraph Company's office in this city: Mrs. A. J. Hamilton and S. F. Nink.

F. H. Kilk. an expert swimmer and life-saver, will give a free lecture soon, under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., showing how it is possible to resuscitate drowned persons after they have been submerged as long as fifteen minutes.

Dan Flowers, the sable-skinned young man who made too free with Pompey Smith's wardrobe while the latter was in jail, was sent to join Pompey yesterday, by being given a twenty days' sentence for petty larceny. Pompey is in for fifty days for battery.

W. M. Titus and W. M. Bogart were arrested yesterday for getting over the "dead line" in the river bed and digging gravel within the forbidden limits. A city ordinance makes it a misdemeanor to take gravel away from within a certain distance of the levees. They will plead tomorrow at 2 p.m.

Another Chinese law-breaker, who disappeared pending his appeal of a misdemeanor case in which he was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 or go to jail a corresponding number of days, has been found, and will be made to serve his sentence. The culprit is Wong Wing, and his captor is Officer Robbins, who had been looking for Wong many days.

The three octocoon girls, Edna Nant, Bessie Berline and Florence Wilson, who were arrested for vagrancy a few days ago, were represented in court yesterday by J. Marion Brooks, Esq., who filed a demurrer to the complaint, and backed it up with an eloquent speech. The court overruled the demurrer, however, and set the trial for July 23. Meantime the girls were released on \$50 cash bail each.

PERSONALS.

Ben O. Rhoades, the auctioneer, who was at one time in business here, has just returned, and is staying at the Hotel Broadway.

H. C. Wiley started last Tuesday afternoon, having received a telegram stating that his only brother, Capt. James Wiley, U.S.N., died suddenly at Bethlehem, Pa.

M. A. Leash, Jacksonville, Ill.; E. M. Taylor, Victoria, B. C.; Charles Christian and daughter, San Francisco, and R. Waldin and wife, Phoenix, Ariz., are at the Hotel Ramona.

Miss Bowman is Not Missing.

The story printed in an evening paper that Miss Minnie Bowman, daughter of Rev. W. C. Taylor, a popular candidate for Congress, had been beguiled from her home by a designing young man, was indignantly denied by that young lady yesterday evening when seen at the home of her parents, from which she had never unduly absented herself. The family are highly indignant over the published rumor, and a libel suit was hinted at by the young lady's father.

FOR SOLID ENJOYMENT.

It is doubtful if a better programme has ever been presented than the one for Sunday at Santa Monica. The great amateur half-mile open-sea swimming race (we are taking care of the novices with special medals), a carefully-arranged concert by the superb Los Angeles Military Band, the funny ocean boggan slide. The bathing is unsurpassed, the big plunge working to a T, fishing at Port Los Angeles, excellent, Hotel Arcadia booming. We run over a rock-battered roadbed and make fast time. Our trains leave Arcadia Depot 8:30, 9:05, 9:25, 10:30 a.m., 1 and 1:10 p.m. Returning, last train leaves Santa Monica 6:15 p.m. Southern Pacific's round trip, 50c.

PUT a place of fresh meat in the center of a place of Tanglefoot. It will catch and hold every fly. Put it under the bed.

COUPON. This will entitle the bearer to one copy of "Gathered Jewels of Song," upon presentation at our office and the payment of one cent. One hundred and sixty copies of this choice, popular song, with music. Publishers, 3 cents. THE FIFER, 1115 Main Bldg., First and Broadway.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

UNDER FALSE COLORS.

ANOTHER MAN DESERTS HIS WIFE AND FAMILY.

The Career of Lorenzo Stenhouse in Los Angeles and His Subsequent Arrest in Santa Cruz for Grand Larceny.

This from the San Francisco Chronicle of July 10 will surprise the many friends and acquaintances of a man known in Los Angeles as C. S. Stenhouse, but whose proper name turns out to be Lorenzo Stenhouse:

"Lorenzo Stenhouse, who gained considerable notoriety some time ago by deserting his wife, to elope with a pretty Spanish girl named Virginia Escobar, was arrested in Santa Cruz last Monday night on a warrant charging him with grand larceny. His son, Garner, is the complaining witness.

"Almost a year ago Stenhouse and his family, consisting of his wife and two sons, arrived here from Salt Lake City. They moved their furniture to a warehouse, it being their intention to live in a boarding-house. Stenhouse, who is a fluent talker, readily secured a position as canvasser for a weekly paper. He continued in that capacity for some time, but was finally discharged for some irregularity. Shortly afterward the dark-eyed Virginia appeared on the scene and completely captivated Stenhouse. He fell desperately in love with her, and frequently neglected to provide for his family's necessities. His intimacy soon reached the ears of Mrs. Stenhouse, and she determined to watch the guilty couple. After satisfying herself of the correctness of the charge, she bitterly upbraided Stenhouse for his conduct, and threatened him with prosecution if he did not give the woman up. A few days later Stenhouse disappeared, and an investigation revealed that he had eloped with Miss Escobar.

"After leaving the city the guilty pair went to Monterey, where they lived together as husband and wife. A short time afterward Stenhouse's son received a letter from his father, in which he admitted that he had eloped with Miss Escobar, and asserting that under no circumstances would he again live with his wife. He requested that he be left alone, and his son, against attempting to separate him from his 'new love.'

"Knowing that his father had very little money when he left this city, his son suspected that he had sold the furniture which was stored in the warehouse. Thereupon he visited the latter place and found his suspicions were correct. The manager stated that Stenhouse had called at the warehouse the day before he left town, and sold the furniture to a second-hand dealer for \$300. Among the articles were a valuable library and typewriter belonging to his son. Indignant at the action of his father, who had sold his son's property, the manager consulted Private Detective Stilwell, and acting upon his advice, he went before Police Judge Low last Monday and swore out a warrant for his parent's arrest for grand larceny. He claimed that the furniture was the property of his mother, having been purchased by her with her own money. Upon this statement the warrant was issued.

"Believing that Stenhouse was still in Monterey, Detective Stilwell wired Sheriff Matthews to arrest him. By inquiry, the Sheriff learned that Stenhouse had gone to Santa Cruz, and he immediately went there. After a short search Matthews succeeded in locating the love-smitten canvasser, and placed him under arrest. While being taken to the train, Stenhouse attempted to escape, but was captured by the officer after a short chase, and securely handcuffed. Yesterday he was brought to this city and locked up in the Central Station.

IN LOS ANGELES.

Mr. Stenhouse first appeared in Los Angeles about six months ago, and at once secured a position with the City Directory Company. In the course of a few weeks he was joined by a woman whom he introduced as his wife. They secured apartments on Broadway at the Clifton, and to all appearances were a model married couple. The alleged wife was a handsome young woman of Spanish parentage, bright, attractive, and always dressed in the best style.

There is no doubt but that Stenhouse was much infatuated with her, and sacrificed all sense of duty to his family in her interest. It is said that he gave her all his income.

An intimate friend of Stenhouse stated to a reporter of The Times that a few days prior to his departure from Los Angeles, the latter part of June, about his family affairs, and said that Stenhouse told him that he had sent his Spanish wife home to Santa Cruz, with the intention of never seeing her again, but that he could not live without her, and was going to Santa Cruz to see her, and would return in two weeks.

He also displayed a telegram from his son in San Francisco, urging him to come home to San Francisco, as he was wanted badly there. He did not return home, but went to Santa Cruz, at which place he was arrested.

Stenhouse was a man of more than ordinary business ability, and made good wages while here in the city. He had cards showing that he had been the business manager of the San Francisco Wave, and at one time published the Salt Lake City Directory.

As far as known his business dealings have been straight. Mr. Perry, of the Los Angeles City Directory Company, speaks of him in the highest terms from a business standpoint, but knows nothing of him socially.

As Stenhouse was noted for his sobriety and business qualifications, the case is evidently one of woman's duplicity and man's weakness.

Stenhouse comes of a good family. His mother, who resides at present in this city, at No. 1332 West Twelfth street, is an authoress and lecturer of some renown. She wrote the books "Tell It All" and "An Englishwoman in Utah," in which the infamies of polygamy are exposed by one who spent many years in the Mormon field.

LET HIM GO.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The charge of grand larceny against Lorenzo Stenhouse, who was arrested on complaint of his son, was dismissed today. Stenhouse, who eloped with a Spanish woman, was accused by his son of selling property that belonged to his mother. Today in court young Stenhouse said that he did not care to prosecute his father, and asked that the case be dismissed.

DID you say you want a hat? Now don't all speak at once, but come early and avoid the rush at Mrs. C. Dose's great sacrifice millinery sale, now going on. Come before the beauties have all fled! They are going home, and soon will be out of sight. Par-ties wishing to buy a fine business better-investigate. Don't forget the number, 315 South Spring street.

UNDER THE HAMMER.

Wallace's Great London Show Sold for Debt.

Wallace's Great London Show was sold under the hammer yesterday by Deputy Constable Brakesmiller on attachment proceedings. The creditors, however, are far from being satisfied as the claims amounted to about \$302, while the proceeds of the sale did not exceed \$80. The big tent and the side-show canvases were knocked down to Wallace Eggert, a retail liquor dealer, who was the highest bidder for each. D. F. Donegan bought the three small tents for his boy, who is going to play circus in his father's backyard. Master Donegan did not bid quite high enough for the bass drum, but he went home a very happy boy nevertheless.

Licensed to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following persons: Charles L. Reeves, aged 33, a native of Illinois, and Emma J. Decker, aged 30, a native of Ohio; both residents of Pomona.

Charles M. Kite, aged 24, a native of Iowa, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Inez A. Maxwell, aged 24, a native and resident of Bardolph, Ill. Silvio Romero, aged 32, and Mercedes Noriega, aged 19, both natives of Mexico and residents of Los Angeles. Manuel Real, aged 36, and Juana Elias, aged 27; both natives of Mexico and residents of Los Angeles.

"JESSE MOORE" whiskies are unexcelled for purity and quality.

TANGLEFOOT Fly Paper catches flies. Put it under the bed.

Don't you miss it.

\$150 Vases sold at 25c.
\$50 Vases at 5c.
\$10 Vases at 5c.
\$5 Vases at 50c.

The balance of the stock will be slaughtered today at auction for what it will bring at 2 and 7:30 p.m. Chairs reserved for ladies.

Now, don't blame any one but yourself if you miss the chance.

After the war then they came too late—41 cases, 14 barrels, 9 packages. Over \$6000 worth of Royal Japanese Goods, Art Bric-a-brac, Novelties and Curios.

These goods I placed an importation order for last September for my Christmas Trade, but, owing to the late Japan and China war, they did not arrive until after Christmas. So I refused to take them from the importers, and after corresponding about four months, they say: "BURGER, call in an AUCTIONEER and SELL THEM."

That's what will be done today without limit or reserve at

Burger's Forced Closing-out Sale.

235 S. Spring St.
BETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD.

This Is the Only Store

In Los Angeles that will embroider the backs of your gloves to match your dress or hat. We will also shorten the fingers of gloves if you like—Our new French

Glove Machine

Does it all as quick as you can think. That's one reason it's the best glove store in town. There are others—The Loumaxe glove for instance.

THE Unique

LADIES' FURNISHERS.

247 S. Spring St., near Third.

Remnant Day Stock=Taking Sale.

Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Waists.

Our styles have never been prettier or our prices more moderate than they are this season.

Ducks Suits.

Ladies' White Duck Suits \$2.50.

The best quality of plain or striped, white or colored Duck Suits, elegantly made, with extra wide skirt and nobby refter coat, in very swellest style; actual worth \$4.50.

LADIES' SILK WAISTS, LADIES' LAWN WAISTS, LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS THE LATEST STYLES, NEW IDEAS, 50c, 75c \$1.00.

Children's Caps.

Three hundred styles, manufacturer's samples of Children's Hats and Caps, made of the finest cambrics, swisses and silks, every shape imaginable, for babies, and children up to 9 years old, divided into lots at from 10c to \$1, about

ONE-THIRD ACTUAL VALUE.

Children's Dresses.

Fine Prints, Gingham, Percales, Lawns, all kinds of ruffles and trimmings, 25c upward.

Hosiery.

CHILD'S GRAY MIXED 4c pair.

LADIES' BLACK ROSE 16 1/2c pair. Fast black, velvet finish, high spliced heels, full fashioned.

Corsets.

Odds and ends at one-third actual value.

Gloves and Mitts.

Silk Gloves and Silk Mitts at 25c pair. That are worth double.

KID GAUNTLETS 35c pair.

That were \$1.25 per pair, but we have only smaller sizes left now.

Parasols.

Now is the time to buy Parasols, and this is the place to get them.

Silk Remnant Sale.

That sale, coming every Friday and always unique by reason of new lessons in how to sell high qualities at a low figure. Nowhere else such silk bargains as at this great remnant sale, which opens this Friday morning.

"Silk Echos,"

REMNANTS

Kai Kai, Habutai, Jap Silks, India, Cal-cord and Wash Silks.

REMNANTS

Novelty Taffetas, Satins, Surahs, Gros-Grains, etc.

REMNANTS

Of light and dark silks, in all the highest grades—plain and novelty.

HALF REGULAR PRICE.

Colored Dress Goods.

This wonderfully busy department keeps up an effervescence of excitement by continual new offerings that cannot be duplicated. Singled out for today's Remnant Sale are

IMPORTED SUITINGS

Scotch novelties, delightfully cool in hottest weather—ampliative array of odds and ends in choice colorings.

Black Dress Goods

That entirely eclipse, in value and variety anything offered before this season.

REMNANTS

Figured and plain Mohairs, Surah Serges, all wool Henriettes, black Brocades, black stripe novelties.

REMNANTS

Of Storm Serges, black Crepons, Black Diagonals, Broadcloths and black Albatross cloth.

Cool Summer Dress Goods

Wash Goods

and Domestic.

There are remnants; lots of them; must be sold; price no object. But we have also certain lines that we are very anxious to close out. Today will be the day.

GINGHAMS 5c yard.

Dress and apron checks.

WHITE GOODS 5c yard.

Lawns, nainsooks, plain and check.

PLISSE CREPONS 5c yard.

CREPE CLOTH 62-3c yard.

ORGANDIES 8 1-3c yard.

OUTING FLANNELS 4 1/2c yard.

BLEACHED MUSLIN 5c yard.

REMNANTS OF

Pongees and Percales, Linings, Sateens, Sheetings, Linens, Laces, Ribbons.

Veilings 5c yard.

10,000 yards finest silk veiling, good, serviceable shades, marked down from 25c.

Clearing Sale of

Millinery.

A Clearing sale that is a Clearing Sale. A Clearing Sale that attacks prices like this:

All our 60c, 65c and 75c millinery ribbons reduced to 25c per yard.

All our untrimmed 95c, 75c, 50c and 35c Hats reduced to 25c each.

White Leghorns 10c.

Trimmed Sailors in blue, brown or red, for 15c each.

Boys' Clothes.

Odds and ends of various boys' suits, broken sizes, but if you don't find the size in one line you will in another. You'll find the price broken, too; badly broken; broken in two, and as many as three places.

Boys' Suits, \$1.50

4 to 14 years, worth \$2.50 and seven separate lines of single and double-breasted light and dark effects to choose from. This is a

Special

Boys' Washable Suits 98c,

Good, strong duck in sailor fashion; deep-colored collars and cuffs, shield front, ornamented with braided anchors.

BOYS' WAISTS 50c.

White Lawn Fauntleroy Blouses, ruffled collars and cuffs of colored percales, 4 to 8 years, actual value 85c.

Fine Shoes.

LAIDES' OXFORDS \$1.50 pair. In black kid or tan goat, every style of tops and toes, special good value.

CHILDREN'S SHOES \$1.45.

Viel kid button, kid and cloth top, spring heels, patent leather tips, sizes 8 1/2 to 11, J. and T. Constan make, regular price \$2.

Drugs and Sundries.

Pure Drugs and no Other Here.

A FEW SPECIALS.

SPONGES 10c, were 15c.

DENTAFOAM 10c, was 25c.

For the teeth.

TOOTH BRUSHES 10c, were 20c.

GLYCERINE SOAP 5c each.

GREY'S FACE POWDER 10c box.

ROYAL TOOTH POWDER 10c each.

14-ounce size BAY RUM 35c.

DR. KOCH'S COUGH SYRUP 10c.

Sample size.

USE HANCE'S

CUCUMBER CREAM 50c bottle.

MECHANICS' PRIDE

TAR SOAP 61-4c.

135 to 145 North Spring Street.

A. HAMBURGER & SONS,

Modern Department Store.

The last day but one.